



General Assembly

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***Raised Bill No. 6607***

LCO No. 4005

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Referred to Committee on Energy and Technology

Introduced by:  
(ET)

***AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTRIC SUBSTATIONS IN RESIDENTIAL AREAS.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 16-50p of the general statutes is amended by  
2 adding subsection (j) as follows (*Effective from passage*):

3 (NEW) (j) The council shall not grant a certificate for a facility  
4 described in subdivision (4) of subsection (a) of section 16-50i in a  
5 residential area, either as proposed or as modified by the council,  
6 unless it has the support of at least three-fourths of its membership.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

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| Section 1 | <i>from passage</i> | 16-50p |
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***Statement of Purpose:***

To require the siting of power substations in residential areas to be subject to heightened scrutiny.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*